

FISCAL NOTE

SB 818 - HB 1677

April 25, 1997

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires a defendant in a criminal proceeding to make a new bond to the court of criminal appeals and the Supreme Court, if the defendant appeals to such courts. Current law provides that a defendant shall not be required to renew the bond unless ordered to do so by the court.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumes that, to the extent that a defendant is not able to make bond, such defendant would be incarcerated. The number of defendants incarcerated that would not have been in the absence of the bill is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director